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Application Number	10/829,511
Filing Date	APRIL 22, 2004
First Named Inventor	RANGARAJAN SUNDAR
Group Art Unit	3731
Examiner	

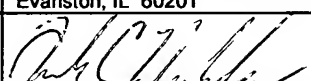
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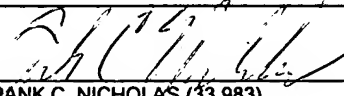
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In re Application of:

RANGARAJAN SUNDAR

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